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1. [redacted] In response to his inquiry and with the approval of FE Division, I advised Mr. MacConkey, in the office of Senator James B. Pearson, of [redacted]

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[redacted] This information was given to MacConkey with the understanding there would be no reference to the Agency as the source of this information. MacConkey said they were inquiring as a result of a letter from a Kansas City, Kansas attorney.

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3. [redacted] In conversation with him, David Martin of Senator Dodd's staff, informed me that he had attended a meeting where [redacted] one of the Cubans who was involved in "The Bay of Pigs" was also in attendance. Martin said he spoke briefly [redacted] book [redacted] informed him that the book as published was grossly inaccurate and misquoted him in several respects. Martin said he attempted to talk further [redacted] circumstances did not permit. He expects to have a personal meeting with him soon and said he would be happy to report the results of this to us. I thanked him for giving us this information and added we would be interested in his further report. This has been passed on to [redacted]

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4. [] Ted Shaw, in the office of Representative Thomas P. O'Neill, called to ask if we could provide a set of the publication "Broadcast Stations of the World" put out by FBIS. I advised Mr. Shaw that we had obtained only enough copies of this publication to distribute to the intelligence community, that it was available through GPO on a purchase basis, but I assumed if the Congressman desired a personal set it could be obtained through GPO channels.

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5. [] Talked with Mrs. Annette Murray, Staff Assistant on the Select Committee on Government Research, regarding Chairman Elliott's request for information on Agency research and development efforts. I advised Mrs. Murray that we anticipated problems in providing the Committee with any significant material which would not be classified. (In a previous similar request, this Committee indicated it did not desire classified material.) Mrs. Murray suggested that we talk with the Committee Counsel, Mr. Naftalin, upon his return to Washington next week. Meanwhile, the 8 June deadline in the Committee's written request was extended. This matter has been discussed with OSI and the Budget Division and is being taken up further with the Office of Logistics.

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6. [] Met with Mr. John Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who advised that the Chairman's schedule is very full for next week and it would be very difficult to schedule the hearings for Monday, Tuesday or Friday of the following week. He also indicated that he hoped that we would be able to schedule a day for this hearing when Mr. McCone himself would be available, and that he would appreciate as long lead time notice as possible. I indicated we would see what we could do on scheduling for Wednesday or Thursday, the 17th or 18th, and would be back in touch as soon as possible.

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7. [] At his request, I met with Mr. T. Edward Braswell, Professional Staff Member, Senate Armed Services Committee, and discussed with him the basic structure of the Intelligence Community with emphasis on roles of DIA and CIA. Apparently a question had been raised by Senator Stennis concerning possible conflicting roles and duplication of efforts between DIA and CIA. Mr. Braswell was most appreciative of the briefing and the reference materials furnished for his use in dealing with Senator Stennis on this subject.

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25X1 8. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Defense Appropriations Subcommittee, who indicated that he had talked to Chairman Mahon about our "building" and had left a note for the Chairman to remind him of it. It was also learned in conversation that the Chairman is running a full schedule briefing himself in on Appropriations Committee matters that he has not handled previously, such as the AID bill, and that these matters may well keep the Chairman occupied for the next week or more.

25X1 9. [] Received a call from Mr. Paul Goulding, Administrative Aide to Senator Claiborne Pell (D., R. I.), concerning []
25X1 [] has talked to both the Senator and Mr. Goulding and indicated
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25X1 that [] had advised her that he could see no reason why she could not be brought on board on 1 June in a non-classified position pending final clearances. After checking, I advised Mr. Goulding that we had written to [] on 1 June advising her that her application was in process. I further advised Mr. Goulding that this process would require an excess of 60 days. Mr. Goulding indicated that he had advised her in similar fashion as a result of previous dealings with this office, but that she was quite insistent. In consequence, he would recommend, if possible, a follow-up letter to [] indicating
25X1 that contact has been made by Senator Pell's office, and possibly advising her in somewhat more detail than would have been included in the 1 June letter.

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10. [] Met briefly with Mr. Samuel Archibald, Staff Director, Moss Information Subcommittee, concerning arrangements for Agency appearance before the Committee. Mr. Archibald indicated it would be most appreciated if we could provide one or two copies of our prepared statement a day or two in advance of our appearance, and that it would facilitate the hearing if we could have additional copies available for each member of the Committee and the staff. Mr. Archibald also noted that even though we would not be furnishing a copy of Agency regulations since they are classified, that it would be well if they were available to Agency representatives for reference.

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